15-100 (Kesden/Spring '04) Exam #1 – Afternoon Edition

- 1. Please implement a class specification that describes a LunchMeat type with the following properties:
 - The LunchMeat's attributes are its *type*, its net *weight*, in ounces and fractions thereof, the *percentageFat*, and its *pricePerOunce*, in cents. All but the price are required when the LunchMeat is created. If the price isn't known at initialization, the LunchMeat is presumed to be 32 cents per ounce.
 - The *price* can be changed any time
 - All properties can be accessed at any time
 - The LunchMeat should be able to report whether or not it is *lessFatty* than another LunchMeat by returning a *true* or *false*.
 - A LunchMeat should be able to return a String representation of itself, by overriding the appropriate method from the Object class. Hint: Think about how we did this in class.
 - A LunchMeat should be able to report whether or not it has the same set of properties as another LunchMeat via a method which overrides the appropriate method of the Object class. Hint: Think about how we did this in class.
- 2. Please distinguish an *object* from a *class*?
- 3. What is the role of the *constructor* and what about the syntax distinguishes it from a method?